1-11-05 JFW 1638

AMSTER ROTHSTEIN & EBENSTEIN LLP
Intellectual Property Law

90 Park Avenue
New York NY 10016
Main 212 336 8000
Fax 212 336 8001
Web www.arelaw.com

OIPE JC99 JAN 10 2005 PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Partners
Morton Amster
Jesse Rothstein *(1934 - 2003)*
Daniel Ebenstein
Philip H. Gottfried
Michael J. Berger
Neil M. Zipkin
Anthony F. Lo Cicero
Kenneth P. George
Abraham Kasdan, Ph.D.
Ira E. Silfin
Chester Rothstein
Craig J. Arnold
Kenneth M. Bernstein

Senior Counsel
Charles R. Macedo
Mark J. Rosenberg
Nancy M. Dodderidge

Of Counsel
Jerry D. Dainow

Associates
Neal L. Rosenberg
Patrick Boland*
Joseph M. Casino
John S. Economou
Michael V. Solomita
Holly Pekowsky
Michael P. Kenney
Marion P. Metelski
Max Vern
Dana R. Metes
Karl J. Kolbinger
Brian A. Comack
Richard S. Mandaro
Marc J. Jason
Elie H. Gendloff, Ph.D.*
David Mitnick
Charles W. Rath
David A. Boag
Karen J. Bernstein
Matthieu Hausig
Jung S. Hahm
Reiko Kaji
Alan D. Miller, Ph.D.
Hsin-Hsin (Ginger) Liu
John A. Lepore
Norajean McCaffrey
Benjamin M. Halpern*
Matthew A. Fox
Michael J. Kasdan

**Not admitted in New York*

January 10, 2005

Elie H. Gendloff, Ph.D., Esq.
Direct 212 336 8108
E-mail egendlof@arelaw.com

"Express Mail" mailing label No.	EL 996362723 US
Date of Deposit:	January 10, 2005
I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.	
Name:	Elie H. Gendloff
Signature:	

Via Express Mail

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application Serial No. 10/009,876 Filed 05/06/2002
Title: EXPRESSION IN PLANTS OF STARCH BINDING DOMAINS AND/OR OF PROTEIN FUSIONS CONTAINING STARCH BINDING DOMAINS
Inventors: Richard Gerardus F. Visser and Jean-Paul Vincken
Our File: 92750/65

Sir/Madam:

Enclosed please find the following documents for filing in connection with the above-identified application in the names of Richard Gerardus F. Visser and Jean-Paul Vincken, entitled EXPRESSION IN PLANTS OF STARCH BINDING DOMAINS AND/OR OF PROTEIN FUSIONS CONTAINING STARCH BINDING DOMAINS:

1. Amendment And Reply To Restriction Requirement (6 pages); and

2. Return receipt postcard.

Please acknowledge receipt of the enclosed documents by stamping the enclosed postcard and returning same.

Respectfully submitted,

Amster, Rothstein & Ebenstein LLP
Attorneys for Applicants
90 Park Avenue
New York, NY 10016
212 336 8000

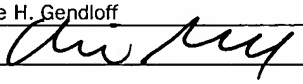
Dated: New York, New York
January 10, 2005

By: _____
Elie Gendloff
Registration No. 44,704

OIPE
JAN 10 2005
PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE
1600

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.	:	10/009,876	Confirmation No. 5153
Applicant	:	R.G.F. Visser and Jean-Paul Vincken	
Filed	:	May 6, 2002	
TC/A.U.	:	1638	
Examiner	:	Russell Kallis	
Docket No.	:	92750/65	
Customer No.	:	1912	

"Express Mail" mailing label No.	EL 996362723 US
Date of Deposit:	January 10, 2005
I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.	
Name:	Elie H. Gendloff
Signature:	

AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Amendment and Reply is submitted in response to the Restriction Requirement dated December 10, 2004 in the above-identified case. Since a response to the Restriction Requirement is due on January 10, 2005, this Amendment and Reply is timely filed.

Amendment

Please enter the following amendments in the above-identified patent application: